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10 October 1949 CHEW Cheng is forming an independent government for Taiwan, to include Taiwanese at the highest levels. The leaders have already been selected. "General MacArthur is backing this movement."

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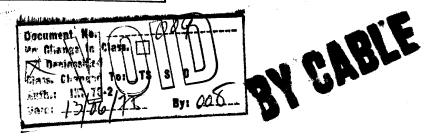
2. It is widely rumored that representatives of General MacArthur have Informed CHIANG Kai-shek and Chian Chong that they must reform the administration of Taiwan if he is to defend the island. He is said to want K. C. WU made chief of the civil administration and SUN Li-jen chief of the military. <u> 25X1A</u>

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